

## Utilities and Community Facilities

### Public Buildings

Please list the names and locations of public buildings in the community and identify which departments or services are housed at that location (i.e., city/village hall, garage/storage facilities, fire station, police department, etc.): (Map)

**Town Hall –Dongola School -- 5346 County Road X, Webster, Wisconsin 54893**

**Town Shop -- 25472 Dongola Road, Webster, Wisconsin 54893**

Please describe any current plans or identified needs in the area of public buildings (e.g., larger meeting rooms, additions, expansions, or remodeling of existing buildings, or construction of new municipal buildings). Also, identify whether such plans or needs are currently being addressed (e.g., capital improvement plans, a line item in budget, other).

**No current plans**

### Administrative Facilities and Services

What are the location and office hours of the municipality's administrative offices:

**No office hours are routinely held**

What are the location and schedule of Board/Council meetings:

**Town Hall – Dongola School -- 5346 County Road X, Webster, Wisconsin 54893**

Number of Board/Council members:

**1 Chair & 2 Supervisors**

What governing committees/commissions/boards are utilized by the community:

**Town board and Planning Commission**

Please identify any administrative staff employed by the community:

Full-time staff (number, positions, etc.):

**1 Road Manager**

Part-time staff (number, positions, etc.):

**1-2 Casual road employees**

Volunteers (number, positions, etc.):

**No regular volunteer program**

Please describe key administrative equipment and tools (i.e., computers, software, e-mail, faxes) that the municipality owns and utilizes to conduct business:

**1 Photocopier – at the home of the Town Treasurer**

Please describe any current plans or identified needs in the area of administrative facilities and services (such as: additional staff, committees, service agreements, administrative tools, etc.).

Also, identify whether such plans or needs are currently being addressed (e.g., capital improvement plans, a line item in budget, other):

**No current plans**

## **Protective Services**

How is police protection provided in the community:

**Burnett County Sheriff's Department**

**St. Croix Tribal Police**

**Mutual Aid with all law enforcement agencies in the county**

If a local police department is maintained, please answer the following:

Please describe any protective services staff employed by the community:

Full-time staff (number, positions, etc.):

Part-time staff (number, positions, etc.):

Volunteers (number, positions, etc.):

Primary Service Area of Patrol Cars:

Typical Number of Patrol Cars/Officers Assigned Per Shift:

Identify and explain any joint service agreements:

Please describe any current plans or identified needs in the area of protective services (such as: additional staff, vehicle needs, expanded service area, building space needs, equipment needs, etc.). Also, identify whether such plans or needs are currently being addressed (e.g., capital improvement plans, a line item in budget, other).

**No current plans**

## **Fire Protection Services**

How is fire protection provided in the community:

**North half of township is serviced by Webster Volunteer Fire Department**

**South half of township is serviced by St. Croix / Hertel Volunteer Fire Department**

If a local fire department is maintained, please answer the following:

Please describe any fire protection staff employed by the community:

Full-time staff (number, positions, etc.):

Part-time staff (number, positions, etc.):

Volunteers (number, positions, etc.):

Please describe key fire protection equipment owned by the community:

What is the service area (please be prepared to locate on a map):

Identify and explain any joint service agreements:

What is the average response time to a fire call:

Please describe any current plans or identified needs in the area of fire protection services (such as: additional staff, vehicle needs, expanded service area, building space needs, equipment needs, etc.). Also, identify whether such plans or needs are currently being addressed (e.g., capital improvement plans, a line item in budget, other).

**No current plans**

## **Emergency Medical Service**

How is emergency medical service provided in the community:

**North Memorial Ambulance**

**St. Croix / Hertel First Responders**

If a local emergency (ambulance) service is maintained, please answer the following:

Please describe any emergency medical staff employed by the community:

Full-time staff (number, positions, etc.):

Part-time staff (number, positions, etc.):

Volunteers (number, positions, etc.):

Please describe key emergency medical equipment owned by the community:

What is the service area (please be prepared to locate on a map):

Identify and explain any joint service agreements:

What is the average response time to an emergency services call:

Please describe any current plans or identified needs in the area of emergency medical services (such as: additional staff, vehicle needs, expanded service area, building space needs, equipment needs, etc.). Also, identify whether such plans or needs are currently being addressed (e.g., capital improvement plans, a line item in budget, other).

**No current plans**

## **School Facilities**

Which school district(s) serve the municipality:

**North half of township is serviced by Webster Public School (K-12)**

**South half of township is serviced by Siren Public School (K-12)**

**St. Croix Tribal Headstart in Hertel**

**Mina Copeland Headstart in Siren**

**LCO Community College – St. Croix Outreach Site**

Please identify any public or private school buildings or other facilities located in the community (and be prepared to locate on a map):

**No public or private school buildings in the township**

## **Quasi Public Facilities**

Please identify the name and location of any of the following quasi-public facilities located in the community (and be prepared to locate on a map):

Libraries:

**No public library in Town of Sand Lake.**

**Library services (with interlibrary loan) provided by**

**St. Croix Tribal Library – St. Croix Tribal Youth Center**

**Burnett County Community Library -- Webster**

Churches:

**No currently active churches**

Post Offices:

**No post office**

Campgrounds:

**Mallard Lake Resort and Campground – Normans Landing Road**

Rod & Gun Clubs:

**No Rod & Gun Clubs**

Civic Organizations:

**No Civic organizations meet in the Town.**

**Town residents participate in Lions, Moose, Elk, Shriners, etc.**

Private Recreational Facilities (i.e., golf course, shooting range, paint ball, etc...)

**Ring Neck Creek Hunt Club**

Cemeteries:

**Active Cemeteries:**

**Viola Lake Cemetery --5685 COMPEAU RD (Hwy 70) -- 07-026-2-39-15-31-5 05-002-014000 1 acre & 07-026-2-39-15-31-5 05-004-012000 8 acres**

**Indian Cemetery --25396 BIRCH HAVEN RD 07-026-2-39-15-27-4 01-000-013000 1 acre**

**Inactive Cemeteries**

**Birch Haven Road**

**Mallard Lake Road**

Other (Conservation Clubs, Lake Associations, etc.):

**AUSTIN LAKE ASSOCIATION**

<http://www.uwsp.edu/cnr/uwexplakes/lakelist/orgdata.asp?OID=862>

**Big Sand Lake Association**

<http://www.uwsp.edu/cnr/uwexplakes/lakelist/orgdata.asp?OID=66>

**MALLARD LAKE ASSOCIATION**

<http://www.uwsp.edu/cnr/uwexplakes/lakelist/orgdata.asp?OID=490>

## **Parks, Recreation and Open Space**

Please identify the name and location of all parks operated by the community. Describe any facilities available at each park:

**No town parks**

Please identify any other recreation or open space resources located in the community that are open to the public. Include name, location, and description of facilities:

**No developed recreation area, but we do have 5700+ acres of Burnett County Land in the township**

Please identify the name and location of any other public water access points operated by the community (beaches, boat landings, etc.):

[http://dnr.wi.gov/org/land/facilities/boataccess /](http://dnr.wi.gov/org/land/facilities/boataccess/)

AUSTIN LAKE ACCESS	AUSTIN LAKE	-92.271, 45.8844	<a href="#">More Information</a>	<a href="#">Map It</a>
BIG SAND LAKE ACCESS	BIG SAND LAKE	-92.2392, 45.8216	<a href="#">More Information</a>	<a href="#">Map It</a>
MALLARD LAKE	Mallard Lake	45.8975, -92.176	<a href="#">More</a>	<a href="#">Map</a>

ACCESS			<a href="#">Information</a>	<a href="#">It</a>
VIOLA LAKE ACCESS	VIOLA LAKE	-92.2566, 45.8166	<a href="#">More Information</a>	<a href="#">Map It</a>
Normans Landing	Yellow River	South end of Normans Landing Road		
Keezer Landing	Yellow River	At Keezer Bridge and Gaslyn Road		

Please describe any current plans or identified needs in the area of local parks, recreational facilities or open spaces. Also, identify whether such plans or needs are currently being addressed (e.g., capital improvement plans, a line item in budget, other)

**No current plans**

## **Solid Waste Management and Recycling**

Please identify the location and function of any solid waste or recycling facilities located in the community:

**No solid waste or recycling in the Town**

**Closest Recycling pickup site in is at Hwy 70 and Cty Road X in Hertel**

If solid waste and recycling services are provided in the community, please answer the following:

If curbside solid waste pick-up is available, who provides this service (include any private companies):

**Solid waste pickup is provided on Tribal Lands by Waste Management.  
Solid waste pickup can be contracted by individual residents with Waste Management or Waterman's**

If curbside recycling pick-up is available, who provides this service (include any private companies):

**Same as with Solid waste**

When were current contracts for service initiated and when do they expire:

**Tribal contract is negotiated annually.  
Individual residents typically have month-to-month agreements**

Please describe any charges the community sets as part of its waste/recycling program (bag fees, per household fees, bills on property taxes, etc.):

**None**

Does the community provide any services related to hazardous waste disposal, large item disposal?

**Regional Recycling Commission, run through Burnett County, holds events periodically.**

**St. Croix Tribal EPA offices hold biannual collections of large items.**

**Hazardous waste is accepted weekdays at the St. Croix Tribal EPA offices**

Does the municipality have a designated composting site? If so, where and when can it be accessed?

**None**

Please describe any current plans or identified needs in the area of solid waste management, recycling, and composting. Also, identify whether such plans or needs are currently being addressed (e.g., capital improvement plans, a line item in budget, other)

**No current plans**

## **Communication and Power Facilities**

Please identify electric utility providers that serve the community:

**Polk-Burnett Electric Cooperative**

Please identify telecommunications service providers that serve the community (telephone, cable, internet, etc.):

**Century Telephone**

**Siren Telephone**

**NorthStar Wireless, PO BOX 438, Siren, WI 54872**

**Cellular Telephone service is provided by various cell providers**

Please identify natural gas utility providers that serve the community:

**Natural gas is available to properties bounding Hwy 70 through WE Energies**

Please provide the location of utility facilities located in the community (such as power substations, communication towers, etc.):

**Communication Tower – Near intersection of Compeau Road and Hwy 70**

**Sand Lake Substation -- On Hwy 70 east of Dongola Road**

Please describe any current plans or identified needs in the area of electric utilities, telecommunication services, and gas utility. Also, identify whether such plans or needs are currently being addressed (e.g., capital improvement plans, a line item in budget, other).

**Identified Need – High Speed internet access is not currently available throughout the township**

## **Sanitary Sewer Service**

Please describe the community's wastewater treatment plant (WWTP). Please include information regarding the age and capacity of WWTP facilities:

**No WWTP in the township**

**Tribal residences are serviced by the Tribal WWTP**

Where are the WWTP facilities located (please be prepared to locate these on a map):

Please describe any staff employed by the community to operate the WWTP:

**None**

Please identify the current service area of the sanitary sewer system (please be prepared to locate this on a map):

**Tribal lands – including Eagle Feather, Angeline, Sand Point, and Cut Across roads**

Please describe any current plans or identified needs in the area of sanitary sewer services (such as: service area or infrastructure improvements including expansion, rehabilitation, and new construction). Also, identify whether such plans or needs are currently being addressed (e.g., capital improvement plans, a line item in budget, other).

**No current plans**

How are operations funded, capital improvements funded:

**Tribal services are funded by St. Croix Tribal Council and other tribal resources**

**Private Onsite Wastewater Treatment Systems (POWTS)**

Please identify any developed properties within the community not served by municipal sewer system (and thus depend on POWTS):

**All developed properties in the town have POWTS except those properties on tribal lands**

Please identify any areas of the community served by privately-owned, community wastewater treatment systems (serve multiple connections):

**None known**

Please describe any current plans or identified needs in the area of POWTS. Please describe any policies regarding extension of sewer services to these areas. Also, identify whether such plans or needs are currently being addressed:

**No current plans**

**Public Water Supply**

Please identify the wells, water treatment, and water storage facilities utilized by the community. Please describe by type, age, capacity, general condition, and size (please be prepared to locate on a map):

**No Town of Sand Lake community water facilities. Each property has its' own well. Tribal lands are serviced by St. Croix Tribal water system.**

Please describe any staff (number, position, status) employed by the community to operate and maintain the system:



Please identify the current service area of the water supply system (please be prepared to locate this on a map):

**Tribal lands – same properties as is serviced by Tribal sewer service.**

Please describe any known groundwater contamination or supply issues:

**No known groundwater contamination**

Please describe any current plans or identified needs in the area of water supply. Also, identify whether such plans or needs are currently being addressed (e.g., capital improvement plans, a line item in budget, expansion, rehabilitation, new construction, other).

**No current plans**

How is the water utility funded (taxes, user fees, bonding, etc.)?

**No water utility**

## **Stormwater Management**

Describe any facilities (i.e., storm sewer, retention ponds, etc.) that the community has for stormwater management. Please include information regarding age, type, size, general condition, and capacity.

**No artificial storm water facilities in the town**

Are there any areas of the community where stormwater or flooding is a known problem or concern?

**Depending on the level of Viola Lake, some years the Larrabee Subdivision Road floods**

Please describe any current plans or identified needs in the area of stormwater management. Also, identify whether such plans or needs are currently being addressed (e.g., capital improvement plans, a line item in budget, expansion, rehabilitation, new construction, other).

**No current plans**

## **Health Care and Day Care Facilities**

Please identify the name and location of any health care, day care, or elderly care facilities located in the community.

**No care facilities in the town**

**Urgent care is provided to the community by St. Croix Tribal Clinic and Ingalls Family Clinic**

Please describe any current plans or identified needs in the area of health care, elderly care, and day care. Also, identify whether such plans or needs are currently being addressed (e.g., new construction, expansion, rehabilitation, other).

**No known plans**

## Transportation

### Roads and Streets

Identify the location, type, age, and general condition of municipal bridges (includes large galvanized circular & cement box culverts):

**Keezer Bridge – On Gaslyn Road between CRX and Whistler Road**

**Type = Cont Prest Co, Deck Girder**

**Built= 1987**

**Condition= Good**

**Whistler Bridge – On Whistler Road between Gaslyn Road and CR X**

**Type = Timber, Flat Slab**

**Built= 1985**

**Condition= Good**

**Emerson Bridge – On Emerson Road between Gaslyn Road and CR X**

**Type = Concrete, Flat Slab**

**Built= 1998**

**Condition= Good**

Please identify any program used by the community to prioritize road improvements (such as PASER):

**PASER & WISLER**

If the community has road repair, construction, or maintenance equipment (i.e., snow plows, tar trucks, etc.), then please identify the type, age, general condition, and where it is housed:

Description	Manufacturer	Model	Model Year	Condition
ANGLED PLOW	MONROE		2004	Very Good
GRADER	JOHN DEERE	770BH	1987	Good
LOADER	KOMATSU	WA180	1996	Good
LOADER	IHC FARMALL	M	1943	Fair
SIDE MOWER	BRUSH HOG	SM60	1999	Fair
TRACTOR/MOWER	INT'L HARVESTER	806	1966	Good
DUMP TRUCK	INT'L HARVESTER	7400	2004	Very Good
PICKUP	CHEVROLET	SILVERADO	1998	Good

Please identify any highway/street services contracted to another (public or private) entity:

**No standing contracts. Road construction and maintenance is contracted on a per project basis.**

How are street improvements funded:

**Road Budget funded by local property tax and state funds**

## **Rail**

Is rail service provided to any businesses within the municipality:

**No rail service to the township**

## **Pedestrian and Bicycle**

Please describe the type and general condition of any pedestrian or bicycle facilities maintained by the municipality (such as: sidewalks, trails, bicycle lanes, crosswalks, signals, benches, bicycle racks, etc.):

**No specific pedestrian or bicycle facilities in the township.**

**Public use Snowmobile, ATV, and hiking trails are maintained on Burnett County lands and some private lands**

Please describe any policies or codes related to the expansion of pedestrian or bicycle facilities (i.e. are new developments required to provide sidewalks?):

**No policies or codes**

How are pedestrian and bicycle improvements generally funded?

## **Transit and Para-transit**

Please describe any transit or para-transit services provided by or available within the municipality:

**No municipal transit services**

Please identify any private providers of para-transit that serve the municipality (such as: taxi service, nursing homes, senior centers, etc.):

**Theoretically, Siren Taxi (non-medical) and Siren Special Transport (Medical)**

## **Airports**

Please identify any airport facilities located within the community:

**No airport in the township**

Are there any current plans or identified needs in the area of transportation (such as: road maintenance, new equipment needs, bridge repairs, pedestrian or bicycle improvements, transit improvements, airport improvements, etc.)? How are such plans or needs currently being addressed (e.g., capital improvement plans, pedestrian/bicycle plans, road improvement plans, airport plans, other)? Please provide a copy of any current transportation plans and be prepared to locate planned improvements on a map.

**A Transportation Grant has been secured by the Burnett County Aging and Disability Resource Center to develop a Burnett County Bus System that would connect to the Washburn County system. (Lois Taylor is contact person)**

## **Intergovernmental Cooperation**

Identify and generally describe any intergovernmental agreements to which the community is a party. Examples include: boundary agreement, shared service agreement, cooperative agreement, revenue sharing, etc.

**Cooperative road maintenance agreement with Town of LaFollette for Larrabee Subdivision Road and Shrider Road**

**Cooperative road maintenance agreement with Town of Menon for Lily Lake Road**

**Cooperative road maintenance agreement with St. Croix Tribe for Angeline Avenue**

Does the community share any facilities or equipment with a neighboring jurisdiction, district, agency or other unit of government?

**No shared facilities or equipment**

Does the community share any staff or program administration with a neighboring jurisdiction, district, agency or other unit of government?

**No shared staff or program administration**

Does the community contract any of its services with neighboring jurisdictions, the county, or the state?

**No standing contracts. Burnett County Highway Department is contracted for some road projects.**

**Mutual Aid agreements exist between the law enforcement and fire departments that service the Town and surrounding areas.**

## **Existing Ordinances, Plans, and Research**

What ordinances does the municipality currently administer or are in the process of being developed?

Ordinances (Check All That Apply and Provide a Copy):

**Municipal Code of Ordinances?**

**Land division (subdivision) ordinance?**

**★ Driveway/road access?**

**Road Construction Standards?**

**Zoning?**

**Parkland dedication/fee?**

**Telecommunications Towers?**

**Others (please list)**

★ **Agreements with utilities companies**

★ **Uniform Dwelling Code**

What plans or studies has the municipality completed in the past or are currently being developed?

**No current plans or studies**

Plans (Check All That Apply and Provide a Copy):

**Comprehensive Plans (previously adopted)**

**Land Use Plans**

**Park & Recreation**

**Capital Facility/ Improvements**

**Sewer Service or Other Utility**

**Transportation**

**Historic Preservation**

**Water Quality or Other Environmental**

**Wellhead Protection**

★ **Official Map**

**Others (please list)**

Which data are available as maps for the community?

**Fire districts; school districts; telephone company service areas; private, county, state, tribal land ownership; residence locations, Tribal water and sewer services, lake shorelines, county wide snowmobile trails**

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Maps (Check All That Apply and Provide a Copy):

**Water Utility**

**Sanitary Sewer Utility**

**Storm Sewer Utility**

**Others (please list)**